

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Fourth Quarter Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
October - December 2002**

Juvenile Court **Johnson City**
Court Number **96**

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October - December 2002 **333 Cases** Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting **296 Children**

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
1	OR	0.22% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
1	OR	0.22% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
1	OR	0.22% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	OR	0.22% Other Sexual Offenses
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
11	OR	2.44% Assault
2	OR	0.44% Reckless Endangerment
3	OR	0.67% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
2	OR	0.44% Aggravated Burglary
22	OR	4.89% Theft of Property
11	OR	2.44% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
3	OR	0.67% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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1	OR	0.22% Sale of Controlled Substances
1	OR	0.22% Other Drug Offenses
7	OR	1.56% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
1	OR	0.22% Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	OR	0.00% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
2	OR	0.44% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
3	OR	0.67% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
6	OR	1.33% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00% Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Impersonation
4	OR	0.89% Disorderly Conduct
6	OR	1.33% Criminal Trespass
1	OR	0.22% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
91	OR	20.22% Traffic
0	OR	0.00% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
32	OR	7.11% Violation of Probation
3	OR	0.67% Violation of Aftercare
21	OR	4.67% Unruly Behavior
19	OR	4.22% Truancy
1	OR	0.22% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
3	OR	0.67% Possession of Tobacco Products
24	OR	5.33% Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Dependency/Neglect
3	OR	0.67% Termination of Parental Rights
1	OR	0.22% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
1	OR	0.22% Judicial Review
20	OR	4.44% Administrative Review
35	OR	7.78% Foster Care Review
44	OR	9.78% Custody
2	OR	0.44% Visitation
8	OR	1.78% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
52	OR	11.56% Other

450	OR	100.00% Total
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Of the 333 Cases, There Were
Referral Source

450 Referral Sources

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181	OR	40.2% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
53	OR	11.8% Were Referred By Parents
26	OR	5.8% Were Referred By Relatives
4	OR	0.9% Were Referred By Self
18	OR	4.0% Were Referred By School
1	OR	0.2% Were Referred By CSA
75	OR	16.7% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
86	OR	19.1% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
1	OR	0.2% Were Referred By Other Court
1	OR	0.2% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
4	OR	0.9% Other
450	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 333 Cases, There Were 450 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

359	OR	79.8% Petition Filed
0	OR	0.0% Motion Filed
65	OR	14.4% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
1	OR	0.2% Scheduling of Judicial Review
2	OR	0.4% Scheduling of Administrative Review
22	OR	4.9% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
1	OR	0.2% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
450	OR	100.0% Total

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Of The 333 Cases:

Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
14	OR	4.2% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
319	OR	95.8% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
333	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

5	OR	1.5% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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5	OR	1.5% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
319	OR	95.8% Does Not Apply
4	OR	1.2% Other
333	OR	100.0% Total

During October - December 2002 Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

296 Children

Age of Child At Referral

68	OR	23.0% Birth Through Age 10
24	OR	8.1% Ages 11 Through 12
33	OR	11.1% Ages 13 Through 14
89	OR	30.1% Ages 15 Through 16
82	OR	27.7% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
0	OR	0.0% Unknown/Not Reported
296	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

180	OR	60.8% Male
116	OR	39.2% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
296	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

260	OR	87.8% White
29	OR	9.8% African American
1	OR	0.3% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
5	OR	1.7% Mixed Race
1	OR	0.3% Unknown
296	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 296 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

13	OR	4.4% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

78	OR	26.4% Living With Both Biological Parents
4	OR	1.4% Living With Father And Stepmother
11	OR	3.7% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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96	OR	32.4% Living With Mother
14	OR	4.7% Living With Father
41	OR	13.9% Living With Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Living With Adoptive Parents
29	OR	9.8% Living With Foster Family
10	OR	3.4% Living In A Group Home
7	OR	2.4% Living In A Residential Center
1	OR	0.3% Living In An Institution
0	OR	0.0% Living Independently
5	OR	1.7% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
296	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

258	OR	87.2% Were Enrolled In School
37	OR	12.5% Were Not Enrolled In School
1	OR	0.3% Unknown
296	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

31	OR	10.5% Too Young For School
4	OR	1.4% Pre-School
0	OR	0.0% Finished Kindergarten
5	OR	1.7% Finished Grade 1
9	OR	3.0% Finished Grade 2
10	OR	3.4% Finished Grade 3
8	OR	2.7% Finished Grade 4
7	OR	2.4% Finished Grade 5
12	OR	4.1% Finished Grade 6
16	OR	5.4% Finished Grade 7
20	OR	6.8% Finished Grade 8
29	OR	9.8% Finished Grade 9
38	OR	12.8% Finished Grade 10
82	OR	27.7% Finished Grade 11
15	OR	5.1% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
1	OR	0.3% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
1	OR	0.3% Never Been In School
8	OR	2.7% Unknown
296	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

45	OR	15.2% Were Enrolled In Special Education
250	OR	84.5% Not Enrolled In Special Education
1	OR	0.3% Unknown
296	OR	100.0% Total

NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

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The Following Are The

332 Specific Case Outcomes

26	OR	7.83% Case Dismissed
0	OR	0.00% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
2	OR	0.60% Warned/Counseled
58	OR	17.47% Held Open For Review
48	OR	14.46% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
6	OR	1.81% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
0	OR	0.00% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	OR	0.00% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
74	OR	22.29% Fine
0	OR	0.00% Public Service
0	OR	0.00% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
0	OR	0.00% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
1	OR	0.30% Released From Probation
3	OR	0.90% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
8	OR	2.41% DCS Commitment/Custody
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% Other Intensive Probation
2	OR	0.60% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
3	OR	0.90% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
3	OR	0.90% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
1	OR	0.30% Court Costs
1	OR	0.30% Foster Care Terminated
6	OR	1.81% Foster Care Continued
29	OR	8.73% Custody Changed
30	OR	9.04% Custody Unchanged

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3	OR	0.90% Visitation Changed
1	OR	0.30% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
7	OR	2.11% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
20	OR	6.02% Other
332	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the 450 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

449	OR	99.8% Disposed By The Judge
1	OR	0.2% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
450	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 333 Cases Disposed,
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The

450

Referral Reasons Was:

34	OR	7.6% Dismissed
2	OR	0.4% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
122	OR	27.1% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
63	OR	14.0% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
24	OR	5.3% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
1	OR	0.2% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
3	OR	0.7% Informal Adjustment
9	OR	2.0% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
1	OR	0.2% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
51	OR	11.3% Special Proceeding
20	OR	4.4% Review Concluded
68	OR	15.1% Case Held Open
52	OR	11.6% Other
450	OR	100.0% Total